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CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPT 7003 2260 0002 0247 9413

Duane Crutchfield Ash Grove Cement Company PO Box 38069 Leamington, Utah 84538

Subject: Notice of Cancellation/Termination of Reclamation Letter of Credit # _____, Ash Grove

Cement Company, Leamington Cement Plant, M/023/0004, Juab County, Utah

Dear Mr. Crutchfield:

Please review the enclosed notice of non-renewal notification from Bank of American indicating Letter of Credit (LOC) # in the amount of \$4,372,057.00 for the Leamington Cement Plant will not be renewed. According to the terms of the LOC, the bank may elect not to renew as long as a ninety-day notice is given to the Division. These terms have been met; therefore, effective July 24, 2010, the LOC will be not be renewed. Paragraph 2 of the Reclamation Contract, states the operator shall provide a replacement surety within sixty (60) days following the Division's receipt of the cancellation/termination notice.

You are hereby advised that the Division must receive a replacement form of surety on or before June 6, 2010, or the Division will be forced to do any/some of the following:

- Carry out the terms of Letter of Credit # _
- Submit a request to the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to withdraw the permit
- Order the cessation of mining operations
- Order immediate reclamation of all lands affected

If you have questions or require assistance regarding the surety, please contact Penny Berry (801) 538-5291 or email bondcoordinator@utah.gov. Thank you in advance for your prompt attention to this important permitting requirement.

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Paul Baker

Minerals Program Manager

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Enclosure: Notice of Non-Renewal

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